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## AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. 3. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GUTHRIE, 10, Leadenhall Street. HENRY & Co., 37, Watling Street, E. C. 3. SAMUEL DEACON & Co., 180 & 182, Leadenhall Street.

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SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.—SAYLE & Co., Square, Singapore. O. HEINZMAN & Co., Manila.

CHINA.—MORSE, F. A. DE CRUZ, Singapore, Cebu, & C. J. WILSON, Nippon & Co., Fookien, Haden & Co., Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH, Yokohama, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH, Yokohama, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH, Yokohama.

## Banks.

### NOTICE.

## RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

1. The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, in their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
2. Sums less than \$1. or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
3. Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
4. Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
5. Each depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
6. Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked "On Hongkong Savings Bank Business" is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
7. Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.  
JOHN WALTER,  
Acting Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, June 7, 1886.

## THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL.....\$2,000,000  
PAID-UP.....\$500,000

## REGISTERED OFFICE.

40, THEBESIDE STREET, LONDON.

## BRANCHES.

In India, China, Japan and the Colonies.

THE Bank receives Money on Deposit, buys and sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and transacts Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application.

Interest allowed on Deposits:—  
Fixed for 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 " " "  
" 3 " 3 " " "  
On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

APPROVED CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the Balances of such Claims purchased on advantageous terms.

## Agency of

## THE NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

H. A. HERBERT,  
Manager.  
Hongkong Branch.  
Hongkong, May 31, 1886.

## HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$7,500,000  
RESERVE FUND.....\$4,500,000  
RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION.....\$500,000  
OF DIVIDENDS.....\$7,500,000  
PREMIUMS.....\$7,500,000

## COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—A. MOLYNEUX, Esq.  
Deputy Chairman—M. GOSWELL, Esq.  
J. BULLIVANT, Esq.  
C. D. BOWMAN, Esq.  
W. H. DAWSON, Esq.  
H. L. DAWSON, Esq.  
Hon. F. D. SASSOON, Esq.

## CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong.—THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.  
Acting Chief Manager.—JOHN WALTER, Esq.  
MANAGER.  
Shanghai.—EVERY CAMERON, Esq.  
LONDON BRANCH.—London and County Bank.

## HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.  
On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.  
On Fixed Deposits:—  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 " " "  
" 12 " 5 " " "

## LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Credits granted on London, and the Chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

JOHN WALTER,  
Acting Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, June 11, 1886.

## Intimations.

## HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 30th August, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and a Statement of Accounts to 30th June 1886.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th to 30th August, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
DAVID GILLIES,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, August 10, 1886. 1539

## DENTISTRY.

## FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

## MR. WONG TAI-FONG,

Surgeon-Dentist.

(FORMERLY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS.)

At the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS.

No. 2, DUNDRELL STREET.

## CONSULTATION FREE.

Discount to missionaries and families.

Sole Address.

2, DUNDRELL STREET.

(Next to the New Oriental Bank.)

Hongkong, January 12, 1885.

## THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF, GODOWN AND CARGO-BEAT COMPANY.

THE Company will receive STEAMERS and SAILING VESSELS alongside their Wharves at Kowloon, and Land, Re-ship, and/or Store GENERAL CARGOES, SUGAR, OIL, COTTON, GRAIN or MERCHANDISE in First-Class Granite Godowns at Cheap Rates.

Also Coals in specially constructed Sheds.

For the convenience of Commanders and Stokers the Company's launch *Hongkong* will convey to and from those interested FREE OF CHARGE, starting from the Pedder's Wharf every hour from 6 a.m. to 5 p.m., and from the Wharf at Kowloon at the half-hour.

For further Particulars, apply to

W. KERFOOT HUGHES,  
Agent.

Pedder's Street.

Hongkong, February 17, 1885.

## GRIFFITH'S

## NEW VIEWS OF HONGKONG

ARE NOW READY.

1, DUNDRELL STREET.

## GRIFFITH & Co.,

## MANUFACTURERS

OF THE

## LONDON PATENT WATER, 1, DUNDRELL STREET.

Continue to Supply:

SODA WATER, LEMONADE, GINGERBREAD, SWEET, RASPBERRY, &c., &c.

At the same Moderate Charges.

Hongkong, June 9, 1885.

## HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the City Hall, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of August current, at 12 o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1886.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
JOHN WALTER,  
Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 4, 1886.

## HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 23rd day of August current (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
JOHN WALTER,  
Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 4, 1886.

## CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twentieth Ordinary Meeting of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 30th August, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, and Statement of Accounts to 30th April last, and of declaring Dividends.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to 30th August, both days inclusive.

By Order,  
W. H. RAY,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, August 7, 1886.

## HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

### NOTICE.

SHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's TUGBOATS should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Under-Signed is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, August 25, 1885.

## Business Notices.

## LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE JUST LANDED

## A FRESH SUPPLY OF

## H. CLAUSEN & SON'S

## CHAMPAGNE LAGER BEER,

Bottled by

THE PHOENIX BOTTLING Co.

## NOTICE!

To have this BEER in Finest Condition keep it cold, but avoid direct contact with ice.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, August 9, 1886.

## Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

MESSRS. DORABJEE & HING KEE,  
Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

## W. POWELL & Co.

### NEW GOODS THIS WEEK.

## TRIMMED and UNTRIMMED HATS.

FLOWERS and FEATHERS.

LEES and RIBBONS.

LANE'S VELVETS—new colours.

JERSEY CROPS—new material.

STRIPED TANNED CLOTHES.

BLACK CASHMERE and PARAMATTAS.

BLACK CLOTHES.

NEW BRACKET FRIGES.

INDIA LONG CLOTHS.

WHITE and CREAM SATINS for BRIDAL COSTUMES.

BRIDAL FLOWERS and NETS.

BEADS and FANCY HAT ORNAMENTS.

SWISS SILK and TWISTS of every shade.

NEW BUTTONS.

An entirely New Stock of HABERDASHERY.

Atkinson's Supply.

W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, July 22, 1885.

## ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters,

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

## HAVE JUST OPENED A

## NEW SHIPMENT

OF

## GENTLEMEN'S BOOTS,

GENTLEMEN'S SHOES,

GENTLEMEN'S WATERPROOF COATS and

UMBRELLAS.

Hongkong, July 16, 1886.

## KELLY & WALSH, LD.,

### CHEAP SCIENTIFIC TEXT BOOKS.

ABNEY'S PHOTOGRAPHY.

Jenkins' ELECTRICITY & MAGNETISM.

Prece & Siverly's TELEGRAPHY.

Maxwell's THEORY OF HEAT.

Tilden's CHEMICAL PHOTOGRAPHY.

Shelley's WORKSHOP APPLIANCES.

Anderson's STRENGTH OF MATERIALS.

Muller's INORGANIC CHEMISTRY.

Glazebrook's PHYSICAL OPTICS.

Berry's RAILWAY APPLIANCES.

Armstrong's ORGANIC CHEMISTRY.

WORKSHOP REQUISITES.

Bourne's CATECHISM OF STEAM ENGINE.

Gordon's SCHOOL ELECTRICITY.

Glazebrook's PRACTICAL PHYSICS.

Ball's ELEMENTS OF ASTRONOMY.

Jore's ELECTRO-METALLURGY.

Thorpe's CHEMICAL ANALYSIS.

Baumann's SYSTEMATIC MINERALOGY.

Hongkong, August 4, 1886.

## Intimations.

### NOTICE.

FOR the Convenience of Customers, the Productions of the 'CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED,' can henceforward be obtained by RETAIL, FOR CASH, at No. 3, PERL STREET, at the same prices as at the REFINERY; or Retail Orders will be delivered at addresses in town on applicants forwarding their Monthly Requirements in writing direct to the REFINERY at East Point.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
General Agents.  
Hongkong, July 27, 1885.

## CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers,  
Jewellers, Gold & Silver Makers,  
Nautical Scientific and Meteorological Instruments.

VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS and TELESCOPES.  
BRONZE LANTERN and OTHER COMPASS.  
ADMIRALTY & NAVY CHARTS.  
NATURAL BOOKS.

English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.  
Ornate & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.  
GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY,  
in great variety.  
DIAMONDS  
AND  
DIAMOND JEWELLERY.  
A splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATENTERS, at very moderate prices.

Hongkong, July 26, 1886.

## For Sale.

## SIZE HOP

HAS FOR SALE SAI KUNG LIME of the Best Quality; always Ready on hand.

## PRICE MODERATE.

No. 17, WING FOONG STREET,  
QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.

Hongkong, July 26, 1886.

## NOW READY.

## THE CANTONESE-MADE-EASY VOCABULARY,

BY

J. DYER BALL.

A SMALL DICTIONARY IN ENGLISH and Chinese, containing only Words and Phrases used in the Spoken Language, with the Classifiers indicated for each noun, and Definitions of the different shades of meaning, as well as Notes on the different uses of some of the words where ambiguity might otherwise arise.

Price:—\$1.

Also, by the same Author, CANTONESE-MADE-EASY, Price: \$2.

EASY SENTENCES IN THE HAKKA DIALECT, with VOCABULARY: \$1.

For Sale:—At Messrs. KELLY & WALSH'S, Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s, and Mr. W. W. BREWER'S.

Hongkong, July 26, 1886.

## Auctions.

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

MR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received instructions from the OFFICIAL Assignees in Bankruptcy to offer FOR SALE, ON

### THURSDAY,

the 19th August, 1886, at 11 o'clock a.m. on the Premises, in One Lot or otherwise as shall be declared at the time of Sale,—

### THE FOLLOWING

### VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES.

Situate at Bowmansrow, and until recently occupied by Messrs. JAMESON & COOPER.

1. ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND, abutting on the North on the Praya, and measuring 100 feet and 11 inches, on the South on Inland Lot Number 744 (next hereinafter described) and measuring 101 feet and 2 inches, on the East on a Public Road immediately adjoining the Bowington Canal and measuring 141 feet and 7 inches, and on the West on a Public Road and measuring 115 feet and 10 inches.

The above Piece of Ground contains 13,021 square feet, is registered in the Land Office as MARINE LOT 270, and held for the residue of a term of 999 years, at an Annual Crown Rent of \$250.

2. ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND, abutting on the North on the last mentioned Lot and measuring 101 feet and 11 inches, on the South on War Chai Road and measuring 100 feet, on the East on a Public Road immediately adjoining the Bowington Canal and measuring 129 feet, and on the West on a Public Road and measuring 112 feet and 6 inches.

The above Piece of Ground contains 12,050 square feet, is registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 744, and held for the residue of a term of 999 years, at an Annual Crown Rent of \$160.

On the above Pieces of Ground are erected the Substantial BUILDINGS, WORKSHOPS and PREMISES, until recently occupied by Messrs. JAMESON & COOPER.

For further Particulars and Plan, apply to

SHARP, JOHNSON & STOKES,  
Solicitors for the Vendor,  
Supreme Court House; or to

J. M. ARMSTRONG,  
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, August 3, 1886.

## To Let.

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UNFURNISHED ROOMS, at 55, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.

Apply to

MACLEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.

Hongkong, July 19, 1886.

### TO LET.

No. 2, DOUGLAS VILLAS. Possession from the 1st July next.

Apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, May 31, 1886.

### TO LET.

A FIVE-ROOMED HOUSE at the PEAK, Good TENNIS GROUND attached.

Apply to

DENNIS & MOSSOP.

Hongkong, January 28, 1886.



# MacEwen, Frickel & Co.

## VICTORIA EXCHANGE,

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

HAVE FOR SALE  
THE FOLLOWING

# STORES.

EX AMERICAN MAIL STEAMER.

Smoked HAMS.  
Golden SYRUP in Gallon Tins.  
Assorted SYRUPS.  
OUTRIGER'S Table FRUITS.  
ASPARAGUS.

Queen OLIVES.  
Sausage MEAT.  
Caviar.

Potted MEATS.  
MACKEREL in 5lb Tins.

Eagle Brand MILK.  
Lamb's TONGUES.  
Green CORN.  
Baked BEANS.  
BROWN.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT  
of

COOKING AND PARLOUR  
STOVES.

AGATE IRON WARE COOKING  
UTENSILS.  
WROUGHT IRONS.  
CHARCOAL IRONS.  
KEROSENE LAMPS.  
NONPAREIL KEROSENE OIL.

WINE & CO.

SPARKLING SAUMUR, Pils. & Qls. @  
\$11 and \$12.  
CUP CHAMPAGNE, Pils. & Qls. @ \$12  
and \$14.

SACON'S SHERRY.  
SACON'S INVALID PORT.  
ROYAL GLENDEBY WHISKY.  
JAMESON'S WHISKY.  
OLD BOURBON WHISKY.  
HEERING'S CHERRY ORCHARD.  
ASSORTED LIQUEURS.  
DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER.

THE USUAL ASSORTMENT

OILMAN'S STORES,  
at the  
Lowest Possible Prices  
FOR CASH.

MacEwen, Frickel & Co.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1886. 1268

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s  
CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts.....\$20 per Case of 1 doz.  
Pils.....\$21 " " 2 " "

Dubos Frères & Co's  
BORDEAUX CLARETS and  
WHITE WINES.

Baxter's Celebrated "Barley Brew"  
WHISKY, — 75¢ per Case of 1 doz.  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, July 18, 1884. 1187

NOW READY.

THE COMMERCIAL LAW AFFOR-  
TING CHINESE, with special refer-  
ence to PARTNERSHIP REGISTRATION and  
BANKRUPTCY LAWS in HONGKONG.

Copies may be had at the China Mail  
Office, and at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD &  
Co., — Price, 75 cents.

Insurance.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE)

CAPITAL—Two Millions Sterling.

THE Underigned are prepared to grant  
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on  
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on  
Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of  
Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms  
and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-  
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors  
for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on  
first Life Lives up to £1000 on a Single  
Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-  
posals or any other information, apply to  
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,  
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1887. 100

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF  
His Majesty King George The First,  
A. D. 1720.

THE Underigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Corporation are  
prepared to grant Insurances as follows:

Marine Department.  
Policies at current rates, payable either  
here, in London, or at the principal Ports  
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.  
Policies issued for long or short periods at  
current rates.

Life Department.  
Policies issued for sums not exceeding  
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, July 25, 1872. 496

NOTICE

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-  
PANY.

THE Underigned are prepared to accept  
Risks on Fire Class Goods at 3  
per cent. net premium per annum.

NORTON & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1881. 638

# Insurance.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE  
INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Underigned, Agents of the above  
Company, are authorized to insure  
against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1882. 14

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-  
PANY, LIMITED.

THE Underigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Company are  
prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE  
RISKS to all parts of the World, at current  
rates.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.  
Hongkong, November 5, 1883. 185

Notices to Consignees.

FROM HAMBURG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Tonia*, Captain SCHULTZ,  
having arrived from the above Ports,  
Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed  
that their Goods are being landed and stored  
at their risk into the Godowns of the  
Underigned, whence and/or from the  
Wharves or Bosta delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded un-  
less notice to the contrary be given before  
1 p.m. To-day, the 7th instant.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the  
14th instant will be subject to sale.

No Claims will be admitted after the  
Goods have left our Godowns.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
SIEMSEN & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, August 7, 1886. 1618

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM NEW YORK AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. *Strait of Gibraltar*, Captain  
DEWAR, having arrived from the above  
Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby  
requested to send in their Bills of Lading  
for COUNTERSIGNATURE by the Underigned,  
and to TAKE IMMEDIATE DELIVERY of their  
Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be  
landed at the KOWLOON PIERS, and  
there stored in Godowns at Consignees' risk  
and expense.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded un-  
less notice to the contrary be given before  
Noon To-day, the 6th instant.

No Claims will be admitted after the  
Goods have left the Godowns, and all  
Goods remaining after the 16th instant will  
be subject to sale.

All Claims must reach us before 4 p.m.  
of the 16th instant, or they will not be  
recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, August 6, 1886. 1623

To-day's Advertisements.

NOTICE.

THE CAPTAIN, OFFICERS, and AGENTS of  
the Imperial Chinese Maritime Customs  
Revenue Cruiser *Ling Hong* will NOT  
BE RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT con-  
tracted by the WARD-ROOM STEWARD.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,  
I. M. Customs Agents,  
Hongkong.

Hongkong, August 11, 1885. 1542

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THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA  
DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE CERTIFICATE of 8 SHARES in  
this Company, No. 1885/1890 and No.  
1791/1792 standing in the Register in the  
name of SIOCKHONG, having been LOST,  
Notice is hereby given that a NEW CER-  
TIFICATE for the said 8 SHARES will be  
issued forthwith, and that the ORIGINAL  
CERTIFICATE unless produced within  
that period, will thereafter be held  
by the Company as null and void.

DAVID GILLIES,  
Secretary.

Dated 11th August, 1886. 1543

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND  
SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Transvaal*, Captain  
LOAN, having arrived from the above  
Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby  
requested to send in their Bills of Lading  
to the Underigned for COUNTERSIGNATURE,  
and to take immediate delivery of their  
Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the  
Steamer will be at once landed and stored  
at Consignees' risk and expense, and no  
Fire Insurance will be effected.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to  
JAPAN, unless notice to the contrary be  
given before Noon To-day, the 11th instant.

All Claims against the Steamer must be  
presented to the Underigned on or before  
the 18th instant, or they will not be re-  
cognized.

RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, August 11, 1886. 1540

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Underigned has received instru-  
ctions from H.M. NAVAL STOREKEEPER  
to Sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 18th day of August, 1886, at Noon, at  
H.M. Naval Yard,—

SUNDRY NAVAL & VICTUALLING  
CONDENMED STORES,

comprising:—

Old IRON, CHAIN CABLE, PAPER STUFF,  
CANVAS RACKS, HORSES, ARMPIT LAMPS,  
BROKEN GLASS and FILES, GUNNY BAGS,  
BISCUITS, FLOUR, TOBACCO, BOOTS, WHAR-  
VES, IMPLEMENTS, MISCELLANEOUS, &c.

At Kowloon Naval Yard,—

About 670 feet PALINGS, and 1864 EMPTY  
CEMENT CASKS.

TERMS OF SALE—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,  
Government Auctioneer.

Hongkong, August 11, 1886. 1541

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND  
YOKOHAMA.

The Nippon Yusen Kaisha's Steamer  
*Yokohama*, Capt. THOMAS, will have  
quick dispatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, August 11, 1886. 1545

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Vessels.	Captain.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
Hamburg, and Ports of Call.	Oder (s).	E. Pfeiffer.	Norddeutscher Lloyd.	September 3, at noon.
London, and Ports of Call.	Febeur (s).	E. H. Moulle.	P. & O. S. N. Co.	August 12, at 4 p.m.
London, via Suez Canal.	Tefenschu (s).	James.	Butterfield & Swire.	August 14.
London, via Suez Canal.	Gordon Castle (s).	Royell.	Adamson, Bell & Co.	About August 16.
London, via Suez Canal.	Glenlyon (s).	Summers.	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	About August 17.
Manila.	Zadros (s).	Talbot.	Russell & Co.	August 13, at 6 p.m.
Manila, &c., via Saigon.	Melbourne (s).	de la Marcella.	Norddeutscher Lloyd.	Quick dispatch.
Manila, Genoa, &c.	Bornillo (s).	Alonso.	Adamson, Bell & Co.	August 13, at 3 p.m.
Manila, via Suez Canal.	Albany (s).	E. Porter.	Russell & Co.	Quick dispatch.
New York.	Pacific (s).	Burnham.	O. & S. S. Co.	August 24, at 3 p.m.
San Francisco, via Yokohama.	Gaelic (s).	Douglas.	Russell & Co.	Quick dispatch.
San Francisco, via Yokohama.	City of New York (s).	P. Pfeiffer.	Butterfield & Swire.	August 14.
Shanghai.	Oder (s).	T. S. Gardner.	David, Sassoon, Sons & Co.	August 13, at 3 p.m.
Shanghai, via Amoy.	Dardanus (s).	S. Ashon.	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	August 16, at 3 p.m.
Shanghai, via Amoy.	Cyclops (s).	Scotland.	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	August 13, at 4 p.m.
Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.	Japan (s).	G. Danich.	O. Bechrich.	About August 17.
Singapore and Penang.	Suez (s).	J. Anderson.	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	August 13, at 3 p.m.
Straw, Amoy and Fouchow.	Hai Phong (s).	S. Ashon.	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	August 14, at noon.
Sydney and Melbourne.	Elk (s).	Scotland.	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	August 13, at 4 p.m.
Trieste, &c.	Pearl (s).	J. Rademich.	O. Bechrich.	About August 17.
Yokohama, Kobe and Nagasaki.	Stettin (s).	E. F. W. Warrnes.	Norddeutscher Lloyd.	About August 14.

# SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

AUGUST 11, 1886.

	\$	125	127	{ For equal- ization of \$ 500,000.	\$	63,000
£	200	£	50		Tls.	812,639
£	21	£	26 1/2	50,000	Tls.	3,055
\$	250	\$	25	575,000		439,083
\$	83.33	\$	22 1/2	640,000		200,773
\$	250	\$	50	155,000		465,214
\$	1,000	\$	200	28,711.50		2,883
\$	250	\$	50	1,000,000		288,483
\$	100	\$	20	566,700		228,611
\$	100	\$	100	100,000		34,322
\$	50	\$	50	86,704.16		402
£	10	£	10		£	4387
£	10	£	10			
\$	100	all				
\$	127	\$	125	18,000		6,651
	10	£	16			
	10	£	7 1/2	9,177.31	£	1,547
\$	100	100				
\$	100	\$	100			
\$	25	\$	25	30,000		1,125
\$	50	\$	50	6,000		1,600
\$	100	\$	100			1,034
\$	50	all				
\$	100	all				
\$	10	\$	5			
\$	50	all				
\$	50	\$	50			First year
\$	100	all				\$ 87
				Rate of Int.		Payable.
Tl.	500	all	8 1/2		June 1st & Dec	
£	500	all	8 1/2		March 1st	
\$	500	all	8 1/2		June 30	
\$	500	all	8 1/2		Oct 15	
\$	500	all	8 1/2		Jan. 18	



On the whole, therefore, investors in bank shares, though they are rather better off in a period of transition than the holders of other industrial securities, which, like bank shares, are neither "guaranteed" nor "marginal," yet there are other circumstances which make it inevitable that holders of bank shares must sustain a loss of some kind through the appreciation of the money standard which is going on. Their incomes, even in money, cannot but be affected partially. Of course, the compensation is that the money goes further than it did, and probably they suffer very little; but it must not be taken for granted, although they retain their nominal capital easily enough if their affairs are prudently managed, they do not suffer at all. The fall in the rate of interest, which appears to be due in part to the very fact of appreciation, is especially a serious matter for the holders of bank shares.

One class of banks, however, cannot but suffer in a special way.—Banks which receive their capital and deposits in whole or in part in a gold country, and employ the capital and deposits so obtained in whole or in part in a silver one, although they precisely the same way by the fall in silver as other industrial undertakings are by a fall in the prices of commodities. The assets of such banks, like a merchant's stock of goods, are depreciated, and if they are to retain their capital intact, they lose the most to be written off in the same manner precisely as a merchant writes off the depreciation on his stock. *Per contra*, of course, a bank which has silver assets is exposed to less risk of loss through the margins of its customers running off than a purely gold bank. On balance, however, a silver bank, with its liabilities in gold, has greater difficulties to contend with than a purely gold bank.

### Quotations

HONGKONG, August 10.

OPTIMUM—New Putna, cash, .....	515/517½
" " Old " cash, .....	—
" " New Benares, cash, .....	49¾@495
" " " " cash, .....	—
" " New Mowra, cash, .....	820
" Allowance, Puda, .....	82¼64
" Old Malwa, cash, .....	850¼0
" Allowance, Tais, .....	82¼12
" Persian, Oily, cash, .....	440/450
" Allowance, Tais, .....	1632
" Persian, Paper, .....	850/800
" Allowance, Tais, .....	82¼48

### Exchange.

HONGKONG, August 10.

Bank, Wire, .....	3 04
" Demand, .....	3 04
" 30 days' sight, .....	3 03
" 4 months' sight, .....	3 02¾3/4
Credit, .....	3 04
Documentary, 4 months' sight, .....	3 02¾3/4
India, Wire, .....	223
" demand, .....	223½
Shanghai, demand, .....	71½
" 30 days' sight, private, .....	72
Gold Leaf 99½ fine, .....	\$33.65
Sovereigns, .....	\$36.01

### Temperature.

(Taken at Messrs Paterson & Co.'s Premises,  
Queen's Road.)

BAROMETER—	9 A.M., .....	29.790
" "	Do, .....	29.770
" "	Do, 4 P.M., .....	29.720
THERMOMETER—	3 A.M., .....	87°

Du.	1 P.M. ....	85
Do.	4 P.M. ....	85
Do.	(Wet bulb) 9 A.M. ....	81
Do.	10 A.M. 1 P.M. ....	80
Do.	Do. 4 P.M. ....	80
Do.	Maximum ....	87
Do.	Minimum over night ....	85

  

METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.									
AT 4 P.M. TO-DAY.									
Barometer	29.66								
Temperature	82								
Humidity	78								
Direction of Wind	w								
Force	1								
Weather	c								
Hongkong Observatory, August 11, 1886									

  

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.									
AT 4 P.M. - AUGUST 10.									
Station.	Barometer to sea level, and 39° F.	Temperature	Humidity	Wind Direction	Force.	Weather.	State of sky.	Direction of surface currents in fms.	Force of surface currents in fms.
Manila.....	29.77	89	77	SW	4	cd	—	—	—
Haiiphon.....	29.03	90	—	—	—	c	—	—	—
Hongkong.....	29.63	86	67	sw	1	o	—	—	—
Amoy.....	29.69	84	83	NE	2	o	—	—	—
Fuochow.....	29.78	89	68	E	4	c	—	—	—
Shanghai.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nagasaki.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wtsootok.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

  

AT 10 A.M. - AUGUST 11.									
Manila.....	29.55	86	70	w	1	o	—	—	—
Haiiphon.....	29.75	83	—	—	—	c	—	—	—
Hongkong.....	29.75	84	62	WSW	3	c	—	—	—
Amoy.....	29.72	82	53	NE	3	e	—	0.5	—
Fuochow.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shanghai.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nagasaki.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wtsootok.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

The barometer is nearly steady, and gradients are moderate or rather slight for S. winds. The temperature is high, the humidity moderate and the weather cloudy.

W. DOBENEK,  
Government Astronomer.

Hongkong Observatory, Wednesday, Aug. 11.

1. **BAROMETER**, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit, and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths.
2. **TEMPERATURES**, in the shade in degrees Fahrenheit.
3. **HUMIDITY**, in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturated with moisture being 100.
4. **DIRECTION OF WIND**, to two points.
5. **FORCE OF WIND**, according to Beaufort's Scale.
6. **STATE OF WEATHER**, by blue sky, e, detached clouds, d, drizzling, rain, / fog, p, gloomy haze, / lightning, c, overcast, p, passing showers & squally, / rain, s, snow, / thunder, v, visibility < one fathom.
7. **RAINFALL**, in inches, tenths and hundredths.

  

SUN AND TIDE TABLE FOR HONGKONG.					
(From The Hongkong Almanack.)					
AUGUST.					
	HIGH WATER.		SUN.		
Day of Month.	Morn.	Aft.	Rises.	Sets.	
1	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.
2	7.32	0.53	5.37	6.55	
3	8.1	1.1	5.37	6.52	
4	8.46	10.34	5.35	6.31	
5	9.20	10.52	5.32	6.31	
6	9.50	1.9	5.32	6.30	
7	10.20	M. 53	5.33	6.22	

High water at Whampoa; 2 hrs. 30 mins. later than at Hongkong; at the Barrier 3 hrs. 15 mins.; at the Salt Flats; 3 hrs. 30 mins.; at Shamenee 3 hrs. 45 mins.

Moon.—Full Moon, 15d. 2h. 1m. morning.



